Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Tuesday 30 Apr 2024 until 23:59 on Wednesday 01 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Monday 29 Apr 2024 at 16:47

Confidence: High for becoming more settled through the coming days, but a lower for timing of clearance of rain and cloud through Tuesday and timing of showery rain on Wednesday.

Headline for Tuesday 30 Apr 2024: Cloudy and wet start but brighter and drier in afternoon. Southerly gales easing.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 30 Apr 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
10%	<05%	80%	60%	80%	20%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Tuesday 30 Apr 2024

Weather: Mainly dry through early hours but cloud increasing quickly towards dawn bringing a period of persistent and heavy rain soon after dawn. The rain eases through the morning before clearing east by mid-afternoon with some good spells of sunshine developing for the late afternoon and evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: Little chance at dawn rising to 25% from mid-morning and then close to 100% by mid-afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Periods or persistent cloud, becoming more occasional at times from mid-morning, above 450-600m, the cloud breaking and gradually lifting above the summits from early afternoon. Away from cloud visibility very good falling to several kilometres in rain.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	17/23 S	17/23 S	30/43 E	40/56 SE	31/42 S	32/44 S	30/42 S	29/40 SE	23/32 SE
300	8/15 S	8/15 SE	18/31 E	23/40 SE	18/30 S	19/32 S	18/30 S	15/27 SE	12/22 SE
Valley	6/14 S	6/13 SE	15/29 E	20/38 SE	15/29 S	17/31 SE	15/29 SE	12/25 SE	10/20 SE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/-0	4/-0	5/-1	6/-0	5/-1	5/-1	5/-1	4/-2	4/-1
300	6/4	6/4	7/3	8/4	8/4	8/4	8/4	6/3	6/3
Valley	8/6	7/6	8/5	9/5	9/5	9/6	9/6	8/4	7/5
<< Freezing Level*	1300m	1200m	1600m	1600m	1500m	1100m	1000m	1100m	1100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Gusts around 60mph over ridges and summits for a time in the morning.

Forecast for Wednesday 01 May 2024

Weather: A largely dry and bright day with some sunny spells, but a band of cloud and showery rain expected to push west for a time around midday. Dry with clear spells in the evening.

Maximum wind: Southeasterly 15-20mph becoming more easterly at 10mph or less during the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: Around 60% for a time around midday, otherwise close to 100%

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional or periods above 600m for a time around midday, otherwise little or no cloud expected below the summits. Away from cloud visibility very good falling briefly in any showery rain.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Around plus 6 Celsius at dawn rising to plus 14 or 15 Celsius by mid-afternoon.
At 700m: Around plus 4 Celsius rising to plus 7 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

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